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COUNTRY East Germany**REPORT****SUBJECT** Ships Sightings near the Port of Warnemuende**DATE DISTR.** 29 January 1957**NO. PAGES** 1
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concerning ship sightings off the East German port of Warnemuende. Sketches of the ships observed are included in the report.

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1. A destroyer coming from Warnemünde was observed [redacted] 25X1
 [redacted] The destroyer followed the shoreline towards the
 west for some time; then it turned and arrived at Warnemünde 25X1
 roads [redacted] At this time another destroyer of the 25X1
 type [redacted] same time left Warnemünde, and both destroyers then went north-
 wards, formation 1, speed ca. 25 knots up towards route 1. 25X1
 Both followed route 1 towards east and northeast. Both carried
 Russian naval flag. [redacted] 25X1
 Description, see enclosed sketch no. 1. 25X1

2. [redacted] an East German motorship, not
 moving, was observed ca. 5 nautical miles North of Warnemünde. 25X1
 [redacted] The ship was
 about 250 tons, painted green, no ordnance or radar, but
 direction finder and a great number of aerials as well as a
 derrick. Only 3-4 persons were seen on the deck. Description,
 see enclosed sketch no. 2. 25X1

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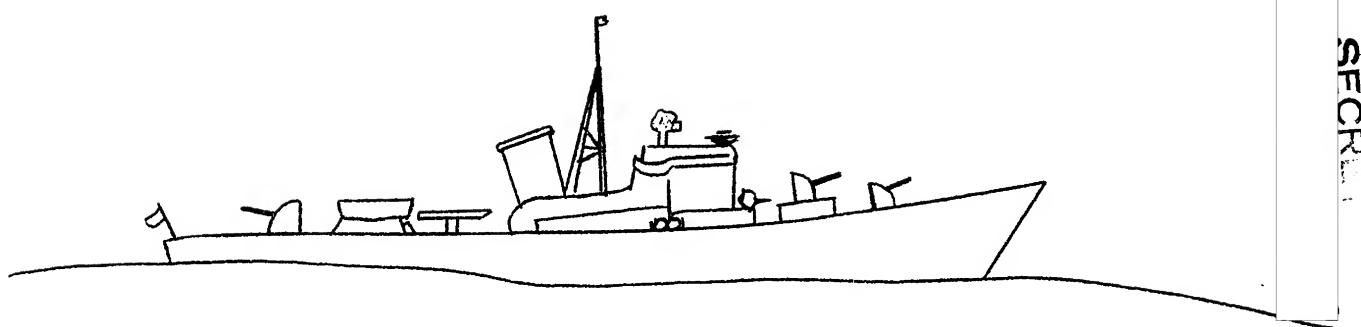
Re 1. This is the 2 RIGA-class destroyers which arrived in Warne-
 münde [redacted] from Swinemünde. [redacted] 25X1
 [redacted] The purpose
 of their stay in Warnemünde is unknown.

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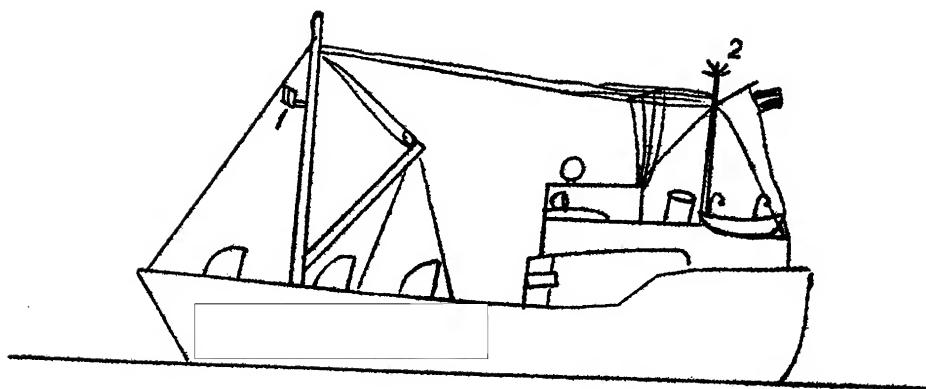
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